MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1936.

A total of 21 attacks with 12 deaths from Plague was reported during the week against 11 attacks with 4 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 34 attacks with 30 deaths and 80 attacks with 49 deaths, respectively.

A total of 125 attacks with 19 deaths from Small-pox was reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Alur, Hole-Narsipur, Narasimharajpura, Srinivaspur, Bagepalli, Chintamani, Malur, Nagar, Honnali and Tirthahalli Taluks, two villages in Shikarpur Taluk, three villages in each of Davangere and Turuvekere Taluks, four villages in each of Mulbagal and Nagamangala Taluks, and six villages in Tiptur Taluk and from Chikmagalur, Chiknaikanhalli and Honnali towns and from Kolar Gold Field.

Two attacks with two deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in Jagalur Taluk.

A fatal case from Influenza was reported from Bangalore City.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 117, representing a calculated death-rate of 30·22 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 32·13 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Malaria, 1 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 11 under Phthisis, 14 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 89 under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 89 deaths, representing a calculated death-rate of 32·53 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 42·86 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 4, Pneumonia 7, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8, and all other causes 65.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 44, representing a calculated death-rate of 19·14 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 22·60 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Typhoid 1, Phthisis 4 Dysentery and Diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 33.

There were 40 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 24·84 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 41·50 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Small-pox, 3 under other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 1 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 34 under all other causes.

E. R. SUNDARARAJAN,
For *Director of Health.*

MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. *Meteorological Observations for December* 1935.

Height of Observatory above mean sea level	BANGALORE	MYSORE	HASSAN	CHITALDRUG	BALEHONNUR	JOGIMATTI
	3,021 ft.	2,518 ft.	3,149 ft.	2,405 ft.	2,968 ft.	3,687 ft.
Pressure (red. to 32° F.)	27·029	27·515	26·917	27·628	27·113	...
Temperature in shade :—						
Dry Bulb	66·3	68·9	67·7	71·0	66·1	67·8
Maximum	80·5	83·5	83·0	84·9	80·2	78·3
Minimum	59·8	62·8	60·5	63·6	60·8	59·3
Wet Bulb	61·7	63·4	61·8	63·0	61·4	64·4
Temperature in open space :—						
Maximum in the Sun	136·2	...	...	...	...	...
Minimum on Grass	58·2	...	...	...	...	...
Rainfall (Total)	0·59	0·15	0·85	0·00	0·10	0·00
Wind Direction	N 80° E	N 52° E	S 82° E	S 83° E	S 51° E	S 66° E
Velocity (miles per hour)	6	6	3	6	3	7
Cloud in cents	46	40	39	42	54	13
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine	6·8	...	...	...	...	...

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 10th January 1936.

(Section 5-ii).

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1935	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	103	125	1063	8,619	...

BANGALORE,
16th *January* 1936.

D. SESHAGIRI RAO,
For *Chief Inspector of Factories.*